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# ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

Selectmen, Clerk, Treasurer,

Road Agent, School Board,

and Other Officials

OF THE

## Town of Alexandria

FOR

THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1950

The Enterprise Press  
Bristol, N. H.

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### Moderator

ERLAND O. WADHAMS

### Town Clerk

EVELYN B. HUTCHINS

### Selectmen

HARRY B. RAMSEY                      CHESTER G. YOUNG  
KARL A. GORDON

### Highway Agent

LYLE M. BUCKLIN

### Treasurer

HELEN A. McGUIRE

### Tax Collector

ANDREW S. ABBOTT

### Police Officer

LEO E. CORLISS

### Auditor

HERBERT I. FISKE

### Trustee of Trust Funds

J. ROGER TURNBULL

### Supervisors

HERBERT I. FISKE            EUGENE L. COOLIDGE  
EVERETT C. MERRILL

### Budget Committee

H. CLYDE GRAY            ERLAND WADHAMS  
ARCHIE H. BUCKLIN            RAY SARGENT  
WESLEY PLATTS

### Janitor

ARTHUR E. HAWES

### Forest Fire Warden

LYLE R. GALE

### Deputy Fire Wardens

ANDREW S. ABBOTT            RAYMOND HUTCHINS  
JOHN ORLINSKI            EUGENE L. COOLIDGE

## TOWN WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Alexandria, in the  
County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote  
in Town Affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at The Town Hall  
in said Alexandria on Tuesday, the 13th day of March,  
next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the  
following subjects :

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year  
ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary  
to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make  
appropriations of the same.
3. To see how much money the town will raise for  
the maintenance of highways and bridges except snow  
work.
4. To see how much money the town will raise for  
plowing and sanding roads in winter.
5. To see if the town will accept Town Road Assis-  
tance and raise \$633.43 for the same.
6. To see if the town will raise \$400.00 for Blister  
Rust Control.
7. To see if the town will vote to raise \$55.00 for the  
Newfound Region Chamber of Commerce for the purpose  
of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and  
resources of the town.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise \$55.00 for the Lakes Region Association for the purpose of publicizing the natural advantages and resources of the town.

9. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid for the reconstruction of Bland Bridge and raise and appropriate money for the town's share for the same.

10. To see if the town will vote to buy a snow plow for the town truck and raise and appropriate money for same.

11. To see what action the town will take in regard to closing the public dump in South Alexandria owned and operated by Merton Calley.

12. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to draw on surplus to balance any necessary deficiency in appropriations for the ensuing year.

13. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of receipt of taxes.

14. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty one.

HARRY B. RAMSEY,  
CHESTER G. YOUNG,  
KARL A. GORDON,  
Selectmen of Alexandria

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HARRY B. RAMSEY,  
CHESTER G. YOUNG,  
KARL A. GORDON,  
Selectmen of Alexandria

**BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF**  
**Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the**  
**Compared with Estimated Revenue, Appropriations and**

SOURCE OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1950	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1950	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1951
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 609.00	\$ 612.15	\$ 600.00
Railroad Tax	38.04	40.57	40.00
Savings Bank Tax	154.20	141.31	140.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	85.01	85.01	85.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood & Timber	1,043.84	419.06	1,000.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	50.00	273.97	100.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	150.00	227.90	175.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	10.00	16.50	10.00
Rent of Town Hall & Other Buildings	100.00	117.00	100.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	30.00	50.61	40.00
Income of Departments:		142.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	700.00	1,136.64	500.00
Sale of Town Property		295.00	
Sale of Junk		156.00	
Cash Surplus		15,638.32	
From local taxes other than property taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	400.00	426.00	400.00
National Bank Stock Taxes		5.00	5.00
Yield Tax		538.86	
Total Revenues from All Sources			
Except Property Taxes	\$ 3,370.09	\$ 20,321.90	\$ 3,195.00
Amount to be raised by property taxes			22,799.34
Total Revenues			\$ 25,994.34



## ALEXANDRIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Ensuing Year January 1, 1951 to December 31, 1951

Expenditures of the Previous Year Jan. 1, 1950 to Dec. 31, 1950

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1950	Actual Expenditures Previous yr. 1950	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing yr. 1951
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,169.41	\$ 1,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	130.00	147.20	140.00
Election and Registration Expenses	350.00	368.27	125.00
Expenses town hall & other town bldgs.	250.00	223.09	225.00
Protection of Persons & Property:			
Police Department	10.00	10.00	10.00
Fire Department	300.00	764.96	300.00
Insurance		312.38	320.00
Health:			
Health Department, including hospitals	10.00	5.00	10.00
Vital Statistics	10.00	8.50	10.00
Highways & Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	2,400.00	3,487.29	2,200.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	2,500.00	2,508.38	2,500.00
Street Lighting	176.00	176.04	176.00
Town Road Aid	595.38	595.38	595.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	100.00		100.00
Old Age Assistance	2,000.00	1,734.97	1,800.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day & Veterans' Associations	10.00	8.25	10.00
Aid to Soldiers and their families	100.00	8.48	100.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	70.00	58.95	
Unclassified:	500.00	3,363.24	350.00
<i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>			
County Taxes	1,160.84	1,160.84	1,160.00
School Taxes	8,892.60	8,892.60	14,663.34
Total Expenditures	\$ 20,764.82	\$ 25,003.23	\$ 25,994.34

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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### ASSESSMENT STATISTICS

Land and buildings	\$ 312,860.00
Electric plants	207,430.00
Horses, 37	3,090.00
Cows, 153	19,920.00
Neat stock, 26	2,840.00
Fowl, 1,350	1,350.00
Portable mills, 2	500.00
Wood and lumber	2,350.00
Stock and trade	2,000.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks, 5	750.00
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Total Valuation	\$ 553,090.00
Polls, 205 @ \$2.00	\$ 410.00

### LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

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Town charges	\$ 6,000.00
Roads and bridge	2,400.00
Snow removal	2,500.00
Town road aid	595.38
New equipment (truck)	2,395.00
Compensation & liability insurance	175.00
Cemeteries	200.00
Schools	8,592.60
School house repairs	300.00
County tax	1,160.84
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	\$ 24,318.82
Estimated Revenue	4,680.09
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	\$ 19,638.73
Overlay	129.42
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Total Appropriations	\$ 19,768.15

## AMOUNT of TAXES, RATE &amp; EXEMPTIONS

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Amount of taxes committed to collector	\$ 19,768.16
Average rate per cent	\$ 3.50
Amount exempted to soldiers	\$ 22,180.00
Amount exempted to Appalachian Mountain Club	\$ 10,500.00
Amount exempted to blind	\$ 1,600.00

**TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA****BALANCE****ASSETS****Cash :**

In hands of treasurer	\$ 12,320.32	
In hands of officials, Bristol savings bank	8,717.35	
	<hr/>	\$ 21,037.67

**Accounts Due to the Town :****Due from State :**

Joint highway construction accounts, unexpended balance in state treas- ury, T.R.A.	\$ 249.78	
Bounties	41.25	
Yield tax	76.93	
Forest fires	72.84	
	<hr/>	\$ 440.80

**Other bills due Town :**

Cemetery lots	\$ 20.00
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**Unredeemed Taxes :**

Levy of 1949	\$ 43.61	
Levy of 1948	23.64	
Previous Years	7.69	
	<hr/>	\$ 74.94

**Uncollected Taxes :**

Levy of 1950	\$ 2,387.47
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Total Assets	<hr/>	\$ 23,960.88
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Grand Total		\$ 23,960.88
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Surplus, Dec. 31, 1949	\$ 16,771.38
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Surplus, Dec. 31, 1950	18,311.75
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Increase of Surplus	<hr/>	\$ 1,540.37
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**SHEET****DECEMBER 31, 1950****LIABILITIES**

## Accounts Owed by the Town :

Unexpended balances of special

Appropriations :

Cemeteries	\$ 200.00	
Old Home Day Association	35.63	
Replacement of Bland Bridge	2,500.00	
		————— \$ 2,735.63

## State and Town Joint Highway

Construction Accounts :

Unexpended balance in state treasury

T.R.A. \$ 249.78

Unexpended balance in town

treasury, class V 2,663.72

————— \$ 2,913.50

Total Liabilities \$ 5,649.13

Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus) 18,311.75

Grand Total \$ 23,960.88

## TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA

## RECEIPTS AND

## RECEIPTS

## Current Revenue:

## From Local Taxes:

Property taxes, current year	\$ 17,059.18
Poll taxes, cur. yr., regular @ \$2	344.00
National bank stock taxes	5.00
Yield taxes	538.86

## Total current year's taxes collected

and remitted ————— \$ 17,947.04

Property taxes, previous years	1,678.46
Poll taxes, prev. yrs., reg. @ \$2	104.00
Interest received on taxes	50.61
Tax sales redeemed	6.12

## From State:

For Class V highway maintenance	1,194.80
Interest and dividend tax	612.15
Railroad tax	40.57
Savings bank tax	141.31
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	85.01
Reimb't a/c exemption of growing wood and timber	419.06
Fighting forest fires	273.97
Bounties	145.75

## From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	227.90
Business licenses, permits & filing fees	16.50
Rent of town property	117.00
Income from departments	142.00
Registration of motor vehicles, 1949 permits	2.88
Registration of motor vehicles, 1950 permits	1,133.76

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Total Current Revenue Receipts \$ 24,338.89

(Receipts continued on page 14)

# PAYMENTS FOR YEAR ENDED DEC. 31, 1950

## PAYMENTS

### Current Maintenance Expenses:

#### General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,169.41
Town officers' expenses	147.20
Election and registration expenses	368.27
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	223.09

#### Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	10.00
Fire department including forest fires	764.96
Bounties	41.25
Dog account	17.99

#### Health:

Health dept., including hospitals	5.00
Vital statistics	8.50

#### Highways and Bridges:

Town road aid	595.38
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#### Town Maintenance:

Summer	\$ 3,487.29
Winter	2,508.38
	<hr/> 5,995.67

Street lighting	176.04
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#### Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	1,734.97
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#### Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial day & veteran's assoc.	8.25
Aid to soldiers & their families	8.48

#### Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries	58.95
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Unclassified:	3,675.62
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(Payments continued on page 15)

(Receipts continued from page 12)

## Receipts other than current revenue:

Insurance adjustments	\$ 2,500.00
Refunds	106.27
Sale of town property	
Real estate	295.00
Old tractor and plow	150.00
Old iron	6.00
Yield tax deposit	415.55

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Total receipts other than current  
revenue

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3,472.82

Total receipts from all sources  
Cash on hand January 1, 1950

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\$ 27,811.71  
12,431.74

Grand Total

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\$ 40,243.45



(Payments continued from page 13)

Yield tax deposit	340.81	
Taxes bought by town	34.17	
Discounts, abatements & refunds	55.93	
Taxes paid by town	34.75	
Total current maintenance expenses	—————	\$ 15,474.69
Outlay for New Construction:		
New equipment (highway)	\$ 2,395.00	
Total outlay payments	—————	\$ 2,395.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
Taxes paid to County	\$ 1,160.84	
Payments to School Districts:		
Appropriations	8,892.60	
Total payments to other governmental divisions	—————	10,053.44
Total Payments for all Purposes		<u>\$ 27,923.13</u>
Cash on hand December 31, 1950		12,320.32
Grand Total		<u>\$ 40,243.45</u>

# SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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Town hall, lands and buildings	\$ 5,000.00
Furniture and equipment	500.00
Libraries, lands and buildings	4,000.00
Furniture and equipment	1,000.00
Right of way across Clough lot	25.00
Bennett barn lot	100.00
Highway department, lands and buildings	500.00
Equipment	10,000.00
Schools, lands and buildings	6,000.00
Equipment	500.00
Lands and buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:	
Chellis Meadow	20.00
Clough lot, Mary D. Pike	100.00
2 mining rights, J. W. Darcy	100.00
3 mining rights, Mica Mining & Milling Co.	200.00
3 mining rights, American Mica Co.	200.00
John Pitman Homestead	800.00
10 acre Dean lot No. 41, Paul H. Burns	50.00
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	\$ 29,095.00

# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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Received dog license:

49 males	\$ 97.50
20 females	100.00
18 spayed	36.00
1 kennel	12.00

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\$ 245.50

Less fees 17.60

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\$ 227.90

Received auto permits:

1949	\$ 2.88
1950	1,133.76

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1,136.64

Filing fees

12.00

Paid to Town Treasurer

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\$ 1,376.54

EVELYN B. HUTCHINS,  
Town Clerk.

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Helen A. McGuire, Town Treasurer

January 1, 1950 to December 12, 1950

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 RECEIPTS

Balance January 1, 1950		\$ 12,431.74
Received from Town Clerk:		
Dog licenses	\$ 210.80	
Automobile permits	1,125.35	
Filing fees	12.00	
	<hr/>	1,348.15
Received from Selectmen:		
Rent of town hall	\$ 62.00	
Yield tax	415.55	
Andrew Craig, illegal fire	13.00	
Forest Fire Wardens meeting	17.94	
Elmore Bliss, for old snow plow		
and tractor	150.00	
Lyle M. Bucklin, sale of junk	6.00	
Ernest S. Robie, sale of C. A.		
Gale meadow	\$ 100.00	
Sale of Emma Phillips		
meadow	20.00	
	<hr/>	120.00
From State of New Hampshire:		
Class V money	\$ 1,194.80	
Blake lot fire	256.03	
1949 hedgehog bounties	145.75	
	<hr/>	1,596.58
Full payment on Bland Bridge		
Thos. Watkins Sons, Inc.,		
Oct. 31, 1944	2,500.00	
Refund tax on truck (Jones Auto Co.)	93.27	
	<hr/>	4,974.34

Received from Andrew S. Abbott, Tax Collector:

1949 tax redeemed	\$ 6.12	
1949 property tax	1,672.34	
1949 poll tax	76.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,754.46
Interest		50.06
1950 property tax	\$ 15,605.60	
1950 poll tax	264.00	
Yield tax	459.50	
	<hr/>	16,329.10
	<hr/>	\$ 18,133.62

HELEN A. McGUIRE,  
Treasurer.

Evelyn B. Hutchins, Treasurer

December 12, 1950 to December 31, 1950

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### RECEIPTS

Received from Town Clerk:

Dog licenses	\$ 17.10	
Automobile permits	11.29	
	<hr/>	\$ 28.39

Received from Selectmen:

Rent of town hall	\$ 55.00	
Town of Bristol, use of grader	142.00	
B. M. Ball, sale of Heron lot	175.00	
Building and Loan Assoc. tax		
Savings bank tax	\$ 141.31	
Railroad tax	40.57	
Interest & dividend tax	612.15	
	<hr/>	794.03

Pistol permits	4.50	
Tax on state land	85.01	
On yield tax account	419.06	
First National bank, Bristol		
National bank stock tax	5.00	
	<hr/>	1,679.60

Received from Andrew S. Abbott, Tax Collector:

1950 poll tax	\$ 80.00	
1949 poll tax	28.00	
1950 property tax	1,459.70	
Interest	.55	
Yield tax	79.36	
	<hr/>	1,647.61

Total Receipts		\$ 40,243.45
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Paid Selectmen's orders:

Nos. 4219-4374	\$ 19,924.79	
Nos. 4375-4414	7,998.34	
	<hr/>	27,923.13

Balance on hand		\$ 12,320.32
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EVELYN B. HUTCHINS,

Treasurer.

# DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

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1950			
Apr.	15	Ernest Sanborn, severance tax dep.	\$ 15.00
May	13	Andrew Craig, illegal fire	13.00
	13	Ernest Robie, severance tax deposit	12.50
	22	State treasurer, ½ forest fire wardens meeting	17.94
	27	Elmore Bliss, sale of old tractor and plow	150.00
June	17	Lyle M. Bucklin, sale of junk	6.00
	17	Ernest Sanborn, severance tax deposit	60.00
July	1	Frank B. Wells, severance tax deposit	45.00
	1	Ernest Robie, sale of Charles Art Gale and Emma Phillips meadows	120.00
	15	Tekwood Inc., severance tax deposit	70.00
	29	Raymond Tucker, severance tax dep.	12.20
Aug.	12	State treasurer, class V money	1,194.80
	12	State treasurer, acc't of Blake lot fire	256.03
	12	State treasurer, 1949 hedgehog bount.	145.75
Sept.	5	Ernest Robie, severance tax deposit	25.00
	9	Leslie Tucker, severance tax deposit	48.75
	30	Atwood & Forbes, sev. tax deposit	56.00
	30	Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co., in full payment for damage done Bland bridge, 1944, by J. Watkins	2,500.00
	30	C. Robert Plumer, sev. tax deposit	37.10
Oct.	10	Jones Auto Co., rebate fed. tax on truck	93.27
	10	Ernest Robie, severance tax deposit	34.00
	14	Agnes D. Stratton, redemp. of Mar- garet Gaboriault 1949 tax int. & cost on lot 4, div. I, ¼ undivided	6.12
Dec.	30	Town of Bristol, use of grader	142.00
	30	B. M. Ball, sale of Heron lot	175.00

30	First Nat'l bank, Bristol, National bank stock tax	5.00
30	State of N.H., savings bank tax	141.31
30	Railroad tax	40.57
30	Interest & dividend tax	612.15
30	Cardigan Grange hall rent	52.00
30	Arthur Hawes, hall rent, janitor	65.00
30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, filing fees	12.00
30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, dog licenses	227.90
30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, auto permits	1,136.64
30	Rec. of Andrew S. Abbott, Collector: 1949 property taxes	1,678.46
30	Poll taxes, 1949	104.00
30	Interest, 1949	50.39
30	1950 property taxes	17,059.18
30	1950 poll taxes	344.00
30	1950 interest	.22
30	1950 severance tax	538.86
30	Pistol permits	4.50
30	State treasurer, tax on state land	85.01
30	State treasurer, acc't of yield tax	419.06
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		\$ 27,811.71



## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### Town Officers' Salaries

1950		
Nov. 25	Herbert I. Fiske, auditor	\$ 10.00
Dec. 16	Helen A. McGuire, treasurer, salary to Dec. 12	47.45
30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, treasurer, salary Dec. 12 to Dec. 31	2.55
30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, town clerk, sal'y	50.00
30	J. Roger Turnbull, trustee of trust funds, salary	25.00
30	Harry B. Ramsey, selectman	265.00
30	Chester G. Young, selectman	265.00
30	Karl A. Gordon, selectman	257.50
30	Andrew S. Abbott, tax collector, Bal. of 1949	22.64
	Account of 1950	217.54
	Severance tax	6.73
		\$ 1,169.41

### Town Officers' Expenses

Feb. 25	Assc. of N. H. Assessors, dues	\$ 2.00
Mar. 11	Alexandria Gen'l store, supplies	1.79
25	Brown & Saltmarsh, vital statistics bk.	3.15
25	U.S. Auto & truck guide, town clerk's book	6.00
25	Alexandria General store, stamps	3.00
Apr. 15	Alice Nasser, town officers' bonds	49.00
29	Ida M. Howes, tax col. assc., dues	2.00
May 13	Enterprise Press, selectmens notice	2.00
13	Brown & Saltmarsh, tax col. book	12.48
27	Brown & Saltmarsh, tax col. book	4.84
July 15	Alexandria General store, envelopes	1.78
Aug. 26	Brown & Saltmarsh, app't blanks	1.09
Nov. 25	Herbert I. Fiske, auditors supplies	3.70

Dec.	30	Alexandria General store, envelopes	3.05
	30	Enterprise Press, selectmens notice	1.00
	30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, postage	2.50
	30	Harry B. Ramsey, use of car, invent'y	15.00
	30	Harry B. Ramsey, use of car, tel. & postage, etc.	21.55
	30	Chester G. Young, use of car & postage	2.79
	30	Karl A. Gordon, telephone, etc.	8.48
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			\$ 147.20

### Election and Registration Expenses

1950

Apr.	15	Enterprise Press, ballots & checklist	\$ 32.65
July	15	Enterprise Press, supervisors notice	1.00
Sept.	30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, postage on ballots for recount	2.62
Oct.	10	Enterprise Press, supervisors notice	1.00
Nov.	10	Eugene L. Coolidge, supervisor's sal.	75.00
	25	Herbert I. Fiske, supervisor's salary	75.00
Dec.	16	Everett C. Merrill, supervisor's salary	75.00
	16	Enterprise Press, supervisors' notice	1.00
	16	Helen A. McGuire, ballot clerk 3 m't'gs	15.00
	30	Fletcher DeWolf, police, 1 meeting	5.00
	30	Erland O. Wadhams, moderator, three meetings	15.00
	30	Sherman Wadhams, ballot clerk, three meetings	15.00
	30	Archie Bucklin, ballot clerk, 3 meetings	15.00
	30	Harry L. Sleeper, ballot clerk, three meetings	15.00
	30	Arthur E. Hawes, police, 2 meetings	10.00
	30	Arthur E. Hawes, janitor service	15.00
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			\$ 368.27

**Town Hall Expenses**

1950

Mar.	25	Mary Plumer, insurance premium	\$ 28.75
Dec.	16	Lizzie F. Coolidge, water rent	6.00
	16	Ernest Sanborn, 3 cords wood	48.00
	30	Arthur E. Hawes, janitor service	52.50
	30	Public Service Co. of N.H., lights	28.81
	30	New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	55.58
	30	Alexandria General store	3.45

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 \$ 223.09
**Police Department**

1950

Dec.	30	Leo E. Corliss, police officer	\$ 10.00
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**Fire Department**

1950

Mar.	11	Bristol fire prec't, Giguere chim. fire	\$ 12.00
Apr.	29	Lyle R. Gale, forest fire warden,	
		wardens meeting	8.85
	29	Eugene L. Coolidge, forest fire warden,	
		wardens meeting	8.25
	29	Raymond Hutchins, forest fire warden	
		wardens meeting	9.09
	29	John Orlinski, forest fire warden,	
		wardens meeting	9.69
	29	Bristol fire precinct, Craig fire	13.00
May	22	Town of Danbury, Blake lot fire	60.74
	22	Roland Burbank, Blake lot fire	10.00
	22	John Rice, Blake lot fire	2.55
	22	Town of New Hampton, Blake lot fire	55.20
	22	Lyle R. Gale, fire warden, Blake lot	
		fire	429.91
Aug.	26	Lyle R. Gale, fire warden, investigating	
		at Goose pond	14.90
	26	Lyle R. Gale, fire warden, South Alex-	
		andria fire	130.78

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 \$ 764.96

**Bounties**

1950

Harry B. Ramsey, hedgehogs	\$ 28.75
Chester G. Young, hedgehogs	2.50
Karl A. Gordon, hedgehogs	10.00
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	\$ 41.25

**Dog Account**

1950

Mar. 25	Brown & Saltmarsh, dog tags	\$ 5.15
July 1	Brown & Saltmarsh, dog license book	2.84
Dec. 30	Lyle M. Bucklin, dog killer	10.00
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		\$ 17.99

**Health Department**

1950

Dec. 30	Lyle M. Bucklin, health officer	\$ 5.00
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**Vital Statistics**

1950

Dec. 30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, town clerk, recording births, marriages and deaths	\$ 8.50
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**Town Road Aid**

1950

Dec. 30	Balance in state treasury	\$ 35.22
	State's apportionment	2,381.51
	Town's apportionment	595.38
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		\$ 3,012.11
	Expended by Clarence E. Ford, under direction of state	\$ 2,762.33
	Balance in state treasury	249.78
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		\$ 3,012.11

**Class V Money**

1950		
Aug. 12	Received from state treasurer	\$ 1,194.80
Dec. 30	Expended under direction of:	
	Clarence E. Ford	694.80
	Lyle M. Bucklin	500.00
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		\$ 1,194.80

**Street Lights**

1950		
Dec. 30	Public Service Co. of New Hamp.	\$ 176.04

**Old Age Assistance**

1950		
Dec. 30	State of New Hampshire	\$ 1,734.97

**Soldiers Aid**

1950		
	Soldiers Aid	\$ 8.48

**Memorial Day**

1950		
July 29	George Minot Cavis Post, American Legion, flags	\$ 8.25

**Cemeteries**

1950		
May 22	Harry L. Sleeper, sexton	\$ 58.95

**Unclassified**

1950		
Jan. 14	F. N. Gilman agency, compensation & liability insurance	\$ 149.40
	14 Enterprise Press, selectmens notice	1.50
	28 Bristol savings bank, deposit	3,000.00
Feb. 11	John Ray, insurance on tractor & grader	52.30
Mar. 11	Enterprise Press, 300 town reports	190.00
Apr. 15	F. N. Gilman agency, compensation & liability insurance, added premium	41.53
	15 John Ray, insurance on truck	64.15

	15	Anna D. Proctor, reg. of prob., transfer names	.20
	15	Fred J. Shores, reg. of deeds, transfers	11.04
July	1	Pauline Merrill, making deed to Ernest Robie	7.00
	15	Evelyn B. Hutchins, town clerk, copy'g 1949 invoice book	10.00
Oct.	25	A. S. Abbott, tax col., making deed & investigation	3.00
Nov.	25	Nathan Morrison, grading dump	30.00
	25	Pauline Merrill, making deed to B. M. Ball, Heron lot	5.00
Dec.	30	Noyes Insurance agency, insur. on Bruneck place	5.00
	30	Evelyn B. Hutchins, town clerk, auto permit fees	105.50
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			\$ 3,675.62

### Abatements

1950

Dec.	30	Angus Corro, 1949 abat., poll tax	\$ 2.00
	30	Ronald Cain, 1949 abat., poll tax	2.00
	30	Freda Cain, 1949 abatement poll tax	2.00
	30	Cleora Dicey, 1949 abat., poll tax	2.00
	30	Carl Morrill, 1949 abatement poll tax	2.00
	30	Robert Plumer, 1949 abat., poll tax	2.00
	30	Mrs. Robert Plumer, 1949 abat., poll tax	2.00
	30	Mrs. Fred Robbins, 1949 abat., poll tax	2.00
	30	Bernard Shattuck, 1949 abat., poll tax	2.00
	30	Mrs. Bernard Shattuck, 1949 abatement poll tax	2.00
	30	Harris Wells, 1949 abatement poll tax	2.00
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			\$ 22.00

### Taxes Bought by Town

1950

Aug. 26	Andrew S. Abbott, tax collector	
26	John Pitmans Chaman lot, 1949 tax interest and cost	\$ 13.13
26	John Pitmans mining right, 1949 tax interest and cost	4.96
26	Charles A. Kimball, Twin Akerman lot, 1949 tax, interest and cost	7.39
26	Charles A. Kimball, Enock Akerman lot 1949 tax, interest and cost	3.13
26	Margurite Gaboriault, $\frac{1}{4}$ undivided lot 4 Div. 1, 1949 tax, interest and cost	5.56
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		\$ 34.17

### Taxes Paid by Town

1950

Dec. 30	Andrew S. Abbott, tax collector	
	Charles A. Kimball, Twin Akerman lot, 1950 taxes & cost	\$ 4.00
	Charles A. Kimball, Enock Akerman lot, 1950 taxes & cost	2.25
	John Pitman, Chapman lot, 1950 tax and cost	9.50
	John Pitman, mining right, 1950 tax and cost	4.00
	Russell T. Bates, mining rights, 1950 tax and cost	4.00
	George McGee, Bullock lot, 1950 tax and cost	11.00
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		\$ 34.75

### New Equipment

1950

Apr. 3	Jones Auto Co., Chev. dump truck	\$ 2,395.00
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**County Tax**

1950

Sept. 16	Harry S. Huckins, county treas., 1950	
	county tax	\$ 1,160.84

**School District**

1950

Sept. 16	Elizabeth B. Abbott, school treas. acc't	
	1950-51 appropriation	\$ 1,000.00
30	1950-51 appropriation	1,000.00
Nov. 7	1950-51 appropriation	1,000.00
Dec. 16	1950-51 appropriation	1,000.00
30	Balance 1950-51 appropriation	4,592.60
30	School house repairs	300.00
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		\$ 8,892.60

**Certificate**

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HARRY B. RAMSEY  
 CHESTER G. YOUNG  
 KARL A. GORDON  
 Selectmen of Alexandria



## HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

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Lyle M. Bucklin, Road Agent

January 1 to December 31, 1950

### Snow Work

Lyle M. Bucklin	\$ 835.89
William Bucklin	301.50
Public Service	4.31
Robert Bucklin, truck	282.45
Fred's Auto, light bulbs, 30 gal. diesel oil	37.88
Roy Haynes, truck for sanding	12.80
Edgar Haynes	154.20
First National Bank, service charge	4.01
Leon Patten, gas, oil, etc.	117.22
Jones Auto, parts for tractor, bolts, nuts, etc.	2.80
William Flanders, labor	24.00
Everett Tucker, plowing, sanding, etc.	139.20
Casellini Venable generator, parts, labor	61.52
Chester Young, call to Concord	1.56
Archie Bucklin, labor	92.80
Charles Proctor, welding	110.79
Charles Reynold, plowing, etc.	45.60
Charles Carr Co., fuel oil, 400 gal. fuel oil	51.00
T. T. Goodwin, iron pipes for tractor	.73
Albert Wilson, gas, oil, spikes, etc.	27.32
Charles Ewens, work on tractor	7.20
Murray Machine, parts for grader	1.65
Everett Merrill, labor, truck sanding	15.20
Ernest Sanborn, lumber for bridge	14.90
H. J. Follansbee, glass tape for tractor window	3.14
Jones Auto, chains, flares, etc. for truck	33.58
Jones Auto, upkeep of truck, bolts, nuts, etc.	31.20

Woodrow Messer, labor	31.10
John Sleeper, labor	6.40
Herbert Fiske, snow fence	5.60
Lewis Blake, labor	6.40
Perley Healey, labor	4.00
Russell Gray, 4 Corners Road	17.70
Prescott Oil, 5 gal. Freezone	3.43
Ronald J. Cain, 4 Corners Road	12.80
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	\$ 2,501.88

### Lyle M. Bucklin, Road Agent

January 1 to December 31, 1950

#### Dirt Roads and Bridges

Lyle M. Bucklin, road agent	\$ 1,241.56
Robert Bucklin, labor and truck	51.20
Edgar Haynes	84.70
William Bucklin	62.40
John Tracy, on Plumer Hill Road	16.80
Archie Bucklin, labor	48.80
Freeman Patten, washout work	6.40
Bernard Sharp, scraping Washburn Road	12.80
William Sargent, labor	1.60
Leon Patten, truck, gas, etc.	169.69
Leon Patten, grader, gas, etc.	125.04
Charles Carr Co., 200 gal fuel oil	25.00
Murray Machine Co., valve springs (6)	.75
Albert Bucklin, labor on bushes and bridges	47.20
Public Service, lights, 8 months	8.00
Albert Wilson, truck, gas, spikes, etc.	69.90
Albert Wilson, 2 shovel handles	2.25
Jones Auto Co., greasing truck, etc.	47.37
John Sleeper, labor	49.60
Woodrow Messer, labor	26.40

Prescott Oil, 4 cases @ \$4.60	18.40
Harry Bockus, lumber, Smith Road bridge	124.41
Allen Akerman, washout work, etc.	22.90
Carroll Akerman, labor	19.20
Elmer Braley, Bland bridge	2.40
Sherman Wadhams, cut tree from road	.80
William Flanders, Smith Road bridge	6.40
Russell Gray, work, 4 Corners	21.60
Glenn Sargent, bushes, labor	30.80
Clyde Akerman, ditches, washouts	20.80
Will Patten, Pitman bridge	6.40
Charles Ewens, work on grader	4.80
Ernest Robie, 1186 ft. hemlock bridge planking	71.16
Edgar Giguere, labor	16.80
Lewis Blake, labor	33.20
Karl Gordon, culvert, Berrys Road	17.60
Casellini Venable, tractor work, parts, etc.	256.76
Charles Proctor, welding, etc.	15.00
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	\$ 2,786.89

### Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books and accounts of Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Road Agent, and Trustee of Trust Funds, and find same correctly cast and vouched for.

HERBERT I. FISKE,  
Auditor.

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

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### Circulation

1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
123	314	404	501	345

For the first time in the past five years, the circulation has decreased this year. There is no doubt that we need money for recent books, especially Westerns which continue to be the most in demand. We have had donations from New Hampton, Meredith, and Rumney Libraries of books for which they no longer had shelf room. Also we have had on loan two excellent collections of fiction from Bristol Library, one hundred books in all, for which we are very grateful. I do not think the lack of more recent books is more than one item in a group of reasons why our circulation has dropped. As other reasons I might sight the following facts. A number of our most interested patrons have left town. A number of our home makers have added to their house keeping duties, work in industry. Automobiles have weakened town unity. People are going out of town for their recreation. The tense international situation has brought about "a flight from thought". People are restless and find relief from mental tension in work of the hands. The interest on endowment is not sufficient to carry the legitimate expenditures of the library. We have had little publicity lately. Under such handicaps it seems a miracle that the circulation has held up as well as it has. I still believe the people of Alexandria feel an interest and loyalty to their library.

### Patrons

Our service to summer residents is largely one of supplying a book now and then for reading on rainy days when out-door recreation is impossible. A number of patrons who were following up practical lines of study

or enjoying special hobbies have received non-fiction books from the State Library through us. Year round residents state quite frankly that they are too busy to read much in summer.

### **Books for Winter Reading**

The number of books taken out for winter reading has been the most encouraging feature of the past two years. High school students have found it convenient to take out books for book reports under this plan. The library has an excellent collection of classics suitable for this use. Books taken out when the library closes in November need not be returned until May. From twenty five to fifty books per person are sometimes taken.

### **Book Classification**

Progress has been made in getting the books arranged systematically on the shelves. Though not ultra-modern, our books have been well chosen in the past and most of them are of a type that never grows old. There is surprisingly little dead timber on the shelves.

### **The Bookmobile**

A few books for children were obtained from the State Library during the summer, but the major part of the children's reading has been supplied by the Bookmobile, which has served the Alexandria schools during the time school has been in session.

### **Date for Reopening**

The library is now closed for the winter. The date for reopening has been set for April 28, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,

NELLIE K. WADHAMS,  
Librarian.

# HAYNES LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

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## Treasurer's Report

Jan. 1, 1950

Cash on hand, checking account	\$ 35.06
Deposits from dividend checks	101.14
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Total	\$ 136.20

## Amount Paid Out

Public Service Co., lights	\$ 12.00
Chester Young, book of checks	1.00
Library insurance	38.50
Arthur E. Hawes, care of lawn	4.00
Nellie K. Wadhams, librarian	45.00
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	\$ 100.50
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Total	\$ 35.70

## Amount of Cash on Hand

30 shares New Hampshire Fire Insurance	\$ 1,350.00
14 shares Public Service	1,088.50
Amount in Bristol Savings Bank	489.09
Amount in Franklin Savings Bank	116.96
Amount cash on hand	35.70
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	\$ 3,080.25

CHESTER G. YOUNG,  
Treasurer.

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

## Summary of Warrant

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 Levy of 1949

## DEBITS:

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1950:

Property taxes	\$ 1,678.46
Poll taxes	104.00

Interest collected during fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1950	50.39
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Total Debits	<hr/> \$ 1,832.85
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## CREDITS:

Remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year  
ended Dec. 31, 1950:

Property taxes	\$ 1,678.46
Poll taxes	82.00
Interest collected during year	50.39

Abatements made during year, (11 poll taxes)	22.00
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Total Credits	<hr/> \$ 1,832.85
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## Levy of 1950

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property taxes	\$ 19,358.16
Poll taxes	410.00
Total Warrant	<hr/> \$ 19,768.16

Yield taxes	547.85
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Added taxes:

Property taxes	5.50
Poll taxes	8.00

Interest collected	.22
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Total Debits	<hr/> \$ 20,329.73
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## CREDITS:

## Remittances to Treasurer:

Property taxes	\$ 17,059.18
Poll taxes	344.00
Yield taxes	538.86
Interest collected	.22
	————— \$ 17,942.26

## Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list:

Property taxes	\$ 2,304.48
Poll taxes	74.00
Yield taxes	8.99
	————— \$ 2,387.47
Total Credits	————— \$ 20,329.73

ANDREW S. ABBOTT,

Tax Collector.



# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Alexandria, N. H. on December 31, 1950

DATE	TRUST FUNDS — PURPOSE OF CREATION			HOW INVESTED				Income During	Expended Dur-	Balance of In-
OF	All trust funds should be reported giving name of fund and donor			State character and rate of return for each investment. State also, if funds were "borrowed or used for city or town purposes," and indicate whether notes have been used as required by Chapter 51, Sect. 23, Revised Laws.	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Per Cent	Year	ing Year	come on hand at
CREATION	Fund	Donor	Purpose					Beginning of yr.		End of Year
1884	Cass, Mrs.	Seth Cass, Crawford Cemetery		U. S. Bond, Series G	\$50.00 2½	.....	.....	\$1.25	\$1.25	.....
1886	Crawford, James	Crawford, Crawford Cemetery		Northern R.R. stock, 10 shares	1,000.00 6	\$35.00*	.....	60.00	60.00	.....
1894	Perkins Cemetery, E.A. & H.S.	Perkins, Riverside Cem.		U. S. Bond, Series G	50.00 2½	.....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1899	Cheney, Edmond W.	Cheney, Rhoades Cemetery		U. S. Bond, Series G	50.00 2½	.....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1896	Rhoades, J. R.	Rhoades, Rhoades Cemetery		U. S. Bonds, Series G	500.00 2½	.....	.....	12.50	12.50	.....
1906	Burns, Dick E. & others,	Burnes Hill Cemetery		U. S. Bonds, 2½ 65 - 70	300.00 2½	.....	.....	7.50	7.50	.....
1910	Leneghan, Jane Bailey	Leneghan, W. A. Bailey Cemetery		U. S. Bonds, Series G	200.00 2½	.....	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1905	Perkins School, E. A. Perkins,	Support of schools		U. S. Bonds, Series G & Treas.	3,900.00 2½	.....	.....	97.50	97.50	.....
Unknown	Literary, Unknown,	Support of schools		U. S. Bonds, Series G	300.00 2½	.....	.....	7.50	7.50	.....
Unknown	Ministerial, Unknown,	Support of Church		U. S. Bonds, Series G	300.00 2½	.....	.....	25.00	25.00	.....
1918	S. B. Sleeper, Sylvester B.	Sleeper, Support of Church		U. S. Bond, 2½ 65 - 70	1,000.00 2½	5.00*	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1918	Knowles, Maria	Knowles, Riverside Cemetery		Bristol Savings Bank	50.00 2½	.....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1920	Berry, Emma R.	Atwood Berry & others, Riverside Cem.		Bristol Savings Bank	50.00 2½	.....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1933	Cushing, Addie L.	Cushing, Rhoades Cemetery		Bristol Savings Bank	200.00 2½	10.00*	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1940	O. K. Gray, L. Etta	Gray Lucas, Riverside Cemetery		Plymouth Guaranty Bank Stock	100.00 5	8.00*	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1940	R. S. Gray, Florence	Gray Lyford, Pitman Cemetery		Plymouth Guaranty Bank Stock	100.00 5	8.00*	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1942	H. W. Noyes, Herbert W.	Noyes, Riverside Cemetery		Plymouth Guaranty Bank Stock	50.00 5	.....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1942	A. C. Sleeper, Annie	Crawford Sleeper, Crawford Cemetery		Various Securities	1,157.12 Var.	.....	.....	42.20	42.20	.....
1942	Surplus, various sources, use as needed			Bristol Savings Bank	50.00 2½	.....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1943	Patten, Jennie Doe	Patten, Riverside Cemetery		Plymouth Guaranty Bank Stock	200.00 5	12.50*	.....	10.00	10.00	.....
1945	Seavey, Hal	Seavey, Pitman & Riverside Cemetery		U. S. Bonds, Series G	100.00 2½	.....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1946	Akerman, Lila	Akerman & others, Pitman & Riverside C.		U. S. Bonds, Series G	100.00 2½	.....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1946	Hines, Jason	Hines, Rhoades Cemetery		U. S. Bonds, Series G	100.00 2½	2.50*	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1946	Twombly, W. W.	Twombly, Riverside Cemetery		U. S. Bonds, Series G	100.00 2½	.....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1949	Noyes, Guy H.	Noyes, Rhoades Cemetery		U. S. Bonds, Series G	100.00 2½	.....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
* Transferred to Surplus										.....
TOTALS										* \$81.00 \$310.95 \$310.95

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

January 6, 1951

J. ROGER TURNBULL, Trustee

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALEXANDRIA

## School Directory

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 District Officers

Erland Wadhams	Moderator
Elizabeth Abbott	Treasurer
Elizabeth Abbott	Clerk
Annie Remick	Auditor

## School Board

Edwin Sharp	Term expires 1951
Nellie W. Wadhams	Term expires 1952
Margaret Cilensek	Term expires 1953

## Teachers

Winnifred D. Bassett	Willow
Ruth Turnbull	Village

## Superintendent

C. Maurice Gray

## School Nurse

Phyllis Robertson, R. N.

## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1950

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### Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1949		\$ 384.56
Rec'd from selectmen, appro.	\$ 8,707.00	
Rec'd from selectmen, dog tax	162.12	
Rec'd from trust funds,		
Harry L. Sleeper, Trustee	120.00	
Rec'd from state treas., state aid	4,622.44	
Rec'd from all other sources	98.63	
Total Receipts	<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> 13,710.19	
Total amount available for fiscal year		<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> \$ 14,094.75
Less school board orders paid		13,540.59
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1950		<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> \$ 554.16

ELIZABETH B. ABBOTT,

Treasurer.

### Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Alexandria, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950 and find them correct in all respects.

ANNIE L. REMICK,

Auditor.

## SCHOOL BOARD'S REPORT

### Receipts

From selectmen, appropriation and dog tax	\$ 8,869.12
From trust funds, Harry L. Sleeper, Trustee	120.00
Received from State Treasurer, state aid	4,622.44
From all other sources	98.63
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Total receipts	\$ 13,710.19
Cash on hand June 30, 1949	384.56
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Grand Total	\$ 14,094.75

### Detailed Statement of Payments

#### Salaries of District Officers:

Chester Walker, school board	\$ 48.00
Nellie Wadhams, school board	40.00
Edwin Sharp, school board	40.00
Erland Wadhams, moderator	2.00
Annie Remick, auditor	5.00
Elizabeth Abbott, clerk & treasurer	42.00
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	\$ 177.00

#### Superintendent's Salary:

Supervisory Union No. 4	231.64
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#### Truant Officer & Census:

Nellie Wadhams, census	\$ 10.00
Leo Corliss, truant officer	10.00
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	20.00

#### Expenses of Administration:

First National Bank, Bristol,	
service charges	\$ 3.64
The Enterprise Press, notices	3.00
Supervisory Union No. 4, clerk	
and office expense	78.60
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	11.25
N.H. School Boards Asso., dues	3.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., vouchers	12.30
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	111.79

## Teachers' Salaries:

Winnifred Bassett	\$ 1,781.00	
Ruth Turnbull	1,786.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue	533.00	
	<hr/>	4,100.00

## Text Books:

Charles Scribner's Sons	\$ 6.24	
Rand McNally & Co.	6.44	
Iroquois Publishing Co.	6.58	
Allyn & Bacon	15.12	
Beckley Cardy Co.	4.41	
Row, Peterson & Co.	1.08	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	2.73	
	<hr/>	42.60

## Scholars' Supplies:

Supervisory Union No. 4, tests	\$ 5.33	
Webster Publishing Co.	21.71	
Cascade Paper Co.	64.06	
Laidlaw Bros.	2.05	
Beckley Cardy Co.	3.60	
Row, Peterson & Co.	25.23	
American Book Co.	5.36	
The Macmillan Co.	7.54	
Charles E. Merrill Co.	1.12	
W. G. McCrillis Co.	4.37	
Bristol School District	7.74	
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## Flags:

J. L. Hammett Co.	1.67
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## Janitor Service:

Lyle Bucklin	\$ 72.00	
Arthur Hawes	72.00	
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## Fuel:

Charles A. Carr Co., fuel oil	\$ 121.05
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Donald Flanders, wood	70.00	
Chester Walker, wood & delivery	9.00	
	<hr/>	200.05
Water, Light & Janitor Supplies:		
Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$ 93.82	
White River Paper Co.	66.63	
Masury-Young Co.	10.19	
H. J. Follansbee Co.	2.08	
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	7.99	
	<hr/>	180.71
Minor Repairs & Expenses:		
Albertine Sharp, cleaning	\$ 12.00	
Lois Walker, cleaning	12.00	
Lyle Bucklin, cleaning vault	3.00	
J. L. Hammett Co., shades	38.15	
R. L. Shackett, labor	1.73	
Howard Patten, labor	8.00	
H. J. Follansbee Co., material	5.57	
Frank B. Wells Co., celotex for tack board	1.56	
Chester Walker, labor	5.00	
Eastern Fire Equipment, extin- guishers	7.18	
George W. Tucker, checking wiring & bulb	3.54	
Greenwood Plumbing Co., repairs & part payment on burner	307.58	
	<hr/>	405.31
Medical Inspection:		
Supervisory Union No. 4, nurse's salary		176.00
Transportation of Pupils:		
William Reid	\$ 356.00	
Ronaldo Bourbeau	358.00	
J. Frank DesRoches	1,290.00	
Harry Ramsey	1,253.00	
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## High School Tuition:

Bristol School District	2,241.65
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## Elementary School Tuition:

Bristol School District	1,360.00
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## Other Special Activities:

J. L. Hammett Co.	1.04
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## Per Capita Tax:

F. Gordon Kimball, State Treasurer	162.00
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## Insurance &amp; Other Fixed Charges:

Herbert Fiske, insurance on Village school	\$ 27.22
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Mary Plumer, treasurer's bond & insurance	46.00
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Supervisory Union No. 4, office exp.	22.00
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 95.22

## Retirement:

Supervisory Union No. 4, sup't's retirement	12.15
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## Alterations of Old Buildings:

Redore Defosses, labor at Willow	\$ 51.00
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Frank B. Wells, Co., material	64.35
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H. J. Follansbee, material	2.35
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Frank Bergh, cleaning & painting at Village	165.00
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Norman Pray, work at Willow	54.00
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Neal Remick, painting at Willow	76.55
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Chester Walker, labor	19.00
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 432.25

## New Equipment:

Gledhill Bros., Inc., chairs & desks	40.40
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 Total expenses

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 \$ 13,540.59

### Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of the State of New Hampshire 1942 and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

MARGARET CILENSEK,  
NELLIE WADHAMS,  
A. EDWIN SHARP,  
School Board.

### General Statistics

#### Enrollment by Grades

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
1949-50	10	11	9	7	2	2	1	1	43
1950-51									
Willow	3	3	1	2	2	3	1	2	17
Village	3	6	7	5					21
	6	9	8	7	2	3	1	2	38'

#### District Totals

1949-50	Av. Att.	Av. Abs.	Av. Memb.	% Attend.
Willow	17.52	.48	18	97.33
Village	20.8	1.33	22.13	93.99
Totals	38.32	1.81	40.13	95.53
1950-51 Dec. 1				
Willow	16.69	.30	16.99	98.23
Village	19.9	1.1	21.0	94.7
Totals	36.59	1.40	37.99	96.3



### Tuition Pupils

#### Bristol High School — Rate \$175.00

Ann Adams	Grade 9
Lois Butterfield	9
Beverly Goodearl	9
William Goodearl	9
Kenneth Patten	9
Joan Pasback	9
Margaret Harvey	10
Larry Stickney	10
John Turnbull	10
Elmer Braley	11
Robert Cilensek	11
Cleona Patten	11
Dolores Barrett	12
Elsie Ramsey	12
Glen Sargent	12
Lucien Schofield	From Nov. 13 12
Robert Wallis	12

#### Bristol Elementary — Rate \$105.00

Stanley Sargent	Grade 5
Andre Bourbeau	5
Ralph Shackett	From Oct. 9 5
Lee Adams	6
Steven Hall	6
Bernett Sharp	6
Ben Adams	7
Marie Bourbeau	7
Ronald Bourbeau	7
Walter Cilensek	7
Robert Patten	7
Kenneth Sanborn	7
Gerald Sargent	7
Leon Sharp	7
Judith Turnbull	7
Arthur Goodearl	8

## School Calendar

1951-52

Open September 5	Close December 21
Open January 2	Close February 15
Open February 25	Close April 25
Open May 5	Close on completion of 180 days

Days out: Plymouth Fair one day; Nov. 22, 23; May 30. Single sessions (12:45) Nov. 21, Dec. 21.

Total number of days required by State Board is 180 including 3 for institutes and conventions, and up to 5 for workshops.

Pupils may enter the first grade provided they are 6 before January 1.

Vaccination is required by state law unless child has written excuse from doctor.

No pupil will be admitted to grade 1 during the year unless eligible on Sept. 1 of current school year.

## COMPARATIVE BUDGETS

EXPENDITURES ITEM	Expend. 1949-50	Adopted Budget 1950-51	Est. Exp. (Revised) 1950-51	Est. Budget 1951-52
Administration				
Salaries of district officers	\$ 197.00	\$ 197.00	\$ 197.00	\$ 197.00
Supt.'s salary (local share)	231.64	220.52	220.52	222.74
Tax for state wide supervision	162.00	156.00	156.00	156.00
Salaries of other admin. personnel				84.60
Supplies and expenses	111.79	50.00	125.00	145.00
Instruction				
Elementary teachers' salaries	4,100.00	4,200.00	4,200.00	4,200.00
Books & other instr'n aids, elem.	42.60	100.00	125.00	100.00
Scholars' supplies, elementary	149.78	175.00	150.00	175.00
Teachers' sick leave				100.00
Operation of School Plant				
Salaries of janitors, elementary	144.00	144.00	144.00	144.00
Fuel or heat, elementary	200.05	275.00	250.00	250.00
Water, light, sup. & exp., elem.	180.71	175.00	175.00	175.00
Maintenance of School Plant				
Repairs & replacements, elem.	405.31	160.00	400.00	160.00
Auxiliary Activities				
Health supervision, elem.	176.00	150.00	144.95	160.00
Transportation, elementary	3,257.00	3,250.00	2,862.00	2,862.00
Tuition, high	2,241.65	2,800.00	2,625.00	2,925.00
Tuition, elementary	1,360.00	1,785.00	1,575.00	2,280.00
Special activities and funds, elem.	1.04	10.00	10.00	10.00
Fixed Charges				
Teachers' retirement, elem.	12.15	24.00	253.00	278.00
Ins., treas. bonds & exp., elem.	95.22	136.00	36.00	25.00
Contingency Fund			359.05	
Total Current Expenses	\$ 13,067.94	\$ 14,007.52	\$ 14,007.52	\$ 14,649.34
Capital Outlay				
Additions & improvements, elem.	432.25			
New equipment, elementary	40.40	25.00	25.00	25.00
Total Capital Outlay	\$ 472.65	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00
Total Expenditures or School Appropriation	\$ 13,540.59	\$ 14,032.52	\$ 14,032.52	\$ 14,674.34

## School Board's Estimate 1951-52

## EXPENSE:

Current Expenses	\$ 14,649.34
Capital Outlay	25.00
Total	————— \$ 14,674.34
Total Appropriations	\$ 14,674.34

## RECEIPTS:

State Aid	\$ ? ?
Trust Funds	105.00
Total est'm'd receipts	————— \$ ? ?
Appropriation	\$ ? ?

Note: Any money to be raised by special appropriation  
not included.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

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The month of November marked the close of five years of working together in Supervisory Union No. 4 under a new superintendent and it is a source of satisfaction to look back and count the achievements which have been made possible through the cooperation of teachers, school board members, taxpayers, the State Board of Education, and the pupils themselves. All rooms have been painted, many have new lights, nine buildings have been painted outside, seven roofs redone, new heating installed in several buildings, improved playground equipment in at least two instances, and last but not least are two new buildings underway. These are all material achievements. To improve much on these matters will involve very expensive spending, and with future uncertainties it is well these things have been done. Non-material accomplishments have consisted in three teacher workshops, regrading of schools, extensive summer school attendance by the teachers, and the maintenance of a very competent teaching staff in spite of differences in ages, training, experience, and the lowest salaries in the state. How much longer this can be done is pure guess-work.

Our educational offerings in most towns are very limited and kept to the bare essentials. Only two towns offer music supervision, one offers handwriting supervision, none has art supervision, remedial reading, or physical education. High school offerings are almost equally limited but Bristol's will be quite modern on completion of the new school and proper staffing of the same. Yet the lake region section of Union No. 4 is, by any objective standard, one of the richest in the state and for this basic reason will never receive much, if any, state aid as long as a formula is based solely on need.

Solutions to our educational needs are not easy, and are expensive. Present state aid formulas are totally

inadequate as to amount. A million dollars this year will probably not cover the new inflationary trend. The net result of this, both as to better educational opportunities for our children and for tax relief, will be close to zero. The basic purpose of any sound state aid program is to improve educational opportunities and not absorb inflationary trends over which we have absolutely no control.

When the new high school in Bristol is opened the cost per pupil will be very materially changed due to costs of construction, maintenance and to increased staff. It would be unwise to give an approximation of this figure until definite costs are available but obviously Bristol can neither build nor staff a new school without planning on its 45 or more tuition pupils, nor would it want to do so. However, the increased costs can not be avoided. No attempt has been made to conceal them in Bristol or should it be either there or anywhere else. All towns sending tuition pupils must expect to pay their share of the full costs of the plant and program to which they send pupils. Until better cooperative school laws are drawn this must be done without any representation on or vote in the policy controlling board of the charging district.

In view of these increased costs I believe it important for the people of Alexandria to work for a sound state aid program to help meet this known situation.

Respectfully submitted,

C. MAURICE GRAY

### REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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All children had an annual inspection and parents were notified of defects found. All cases were followed up and most of the defects were corrected or improved. Some cases, where it seemed necessary, received financial assistance from such welfare sources as the Salvation Army, Red Cross, Sight Conservation Program of the

State Public Welfare, Lindsey Fund, and the Bristol Rotary Club.

In February 1950 Miss Nellie Cough, R.N. and Miss Constance Martin, R.N., staff nurses for the New Hampshire Tuberculosis Society, assisted me in giving the tuberculosis patch tests to the children in grades seven through twelve inclusive. In all of my towns 357 children had the test with 5 showing positive reactions. Twenty-one teachers had the test with seven having positive reactions. All of those having positive reactions, teachers and children, had chest x-rays and examinations at the Chest Clinic held in Bristol by the New Hampshire Tuberculosis Society. No one showed any signs or symptoms of active tuberculosis.

Dental Clinics were held with Dr. Sargent in Bristol for the towns of Bristol, Bridgewater, Canaan, Danbury, and Hebron. Due to lack of time Alexandria and Grafton did not have a clinic but are being taken care of first this year and we will try to do as many of the other towns as possible. In all 85 children attended the clinics. Three of these were welfare cases. There are a number of children who need dental care whom I believe should have welfare dental work but due to the lack of available funds only the most urgent cases are cared for.

September 1949 to June 1950

Defects	No. Cases	No. Corrected
Vision	8	3
Teeth	36	8
Tonsils	6	-

No communicable diseases other than colds occurred during the year, 2 Tuberculosis Patch Tests were given—no positive reactions.

I wish to thank parents, children, teachers, the School Board, and Mr. Gray who have cooperated to help maintain the health of the children.

Respectfully submitted,

PHYLLIS E. ROBERTSON, R. N.

# Births Registered in the Town of Alexandria for the Year Ending December 31, 1950

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Male or Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color	Father's Name	Mother's Maiden Name	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Feb. 23	Franklin	Mary Louise	F	L	1	All White	Chester J. Walker	Lois A. Caldwell	Alexandria	Farmer	'w J 'n pshir'	N 'w H'mpshir'
Mar. 18	Laconia	James Walter	M	L	3		Glenn Y. Hazleton	Marie B. Adams	"	Truck Driver	"	"
Apr. 21	"	Thomas John	M	L	3		Harley J. Belser	Evelyn L. Bailey	"	Milk Hnd	"	"
May 16	Franklin	Daniel Leo	M	L	3		Edgar A. Giguere	Muriel E. Ordway	"	Labr	"	"
June 25	"	Robert Ervin	M	L	3		Ervin H. Bailey	Elizabeth R. Bailey	"	May dr	"	"
June 28	"	Martha Elizabeth	F	L	1		Robert C. Altman	Bernice M. Bailey	"	Coldcut maker	"	"
Aug. 5	"	Michael Mark	M	L	1		Clyde F. Mosher	Gorinne M. Bailey	"	Mach nary	"	Massachusetts
Sept. 23	"	Connie Marie	F	L	1		Earle M. Brown	Wyla J. Gordon	"	Truck Driver	"	N 'w H'mpshir'
Nov. 22	"	Bruce Wayne	M	L	1		Freeman E. Patten	Villa J. Ordway	"	Truck Driver	"	"



# Marriages Registered in the Town of Alexandria for the Year Ending December 31, 1950

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	N'me and S'r'n'me of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	1st, 2d, or 3d Marriage	Name, Residence and Office of person by whom married
Jan. 29	Bristol.....	Robert M. Ramsey	Alexandria...	25	All White	Navy .....	New Hampshire	Harry B. Ramsey... Mildred C. Simpson...	Massachusetts "	.....	1	Rev. A. Brownlow Thompson Bristol
		Marilyn D. Sargent	Alexandria...	21		Tel. operator	New Hampshire	Ray O. Sargent..... Doris G. Patten.....	N'w H'mpshir' "	.....	1	William H. Marston Justice of Peace Bristol
Feb. 17	Bristol.....	Edgar D. Giguere	Alexandria...	33		Truck driver	Hampshire	Delphin D. Giguere... Octavia M. Sward...	Canada. ....	.....	3	Rev. Ethel Lee Matthews Bristol
		Ella P. Waldron	Alexandria...	35		Home ....	Hampshire	Robert G. Mason... Pauline L. Lincoln...	N'w H'mpshir' Massachusetts	.....	2	
July 1	Bristol.....	Murray L. Lord	Alexandria...	26		Moulder. ....	New Hampshire	Edwards O. Lord.... Agnes E. Ballou....	N'w H'mpshir' "	.....	1	
		Gae Adams.....	Alexandria...	18		Floor girl..	New Hampshire	Milan C. Adams.... Margaret Gr. Emore	" "	.....	1	

Deaths Registered in the Town of Alexandria for the Year Ending December 31, 1950

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name	Age		Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Single, Widowed, or Married	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months Days									
Dec. 7	Holderness, .....	Bertie Kennedy...	76	...	Unity, .....	M	W	S	Farmer ...	Not Known ...	Not Known ...	Fran Kennedy, .....	Loretta Piper, ....

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EVELYN B. HUTCHINS, Town Clerk





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